To Franklin Peale Esq.

Sir

Conformably to my communication to the Secretary of the Treasury of the 27th. ultimo respecting the relation which you would be regarded as bearing to this Institution, from the time of your being in readiness to embark for Europe under engagements connected with its interests, I hereby designate and appoint you Assistant Assayer of the Mint from the present date.

During the period of your employment abroad under instructions from the Director of the Mint, with the approbation of the Department, and on your return while you shall be charged with the duties pertaining to this appointment, you will be entitled to a compensation at the rate of one thousand Dollars per annum, subject to appropriations as aforesaid.

Very respectfully

Wm. Moore

Director

Mint of the United States
Philada. May 6th. 1837

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